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SUBJECT: HAARETZ ARTICLE ON CENSORSHIP OF BOOK RE
DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

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1. HAARETZ MAY 13, IN FRONT PAGE STORY, REPORTS THAT ISRAELI CENSOR HAS PROHIBITED PUBLICATION OF BOOK "CONFRONTATION AND DISENGAGEMENT" BY ITS POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT, MATI GOLAN, DEALING WITH NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN OCTOBER WAR AND CONCLUSION OF SYRIAN-ISRAELI DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT. CENSORSHIP WAS IMPOSED FOR REASONS OF STATE SECURITY. GOLAN WAS INSTRUCTED TO RETURN ALL DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS BOOK IN HIS POSSESSION AND WAS ASSURED THAT THESE WOULD BE HELD BY GOI BUT REGARDED AS UNDER HIS OWNERSHIP FOR RETURN IF AND WHEN CENSOR PERMITTED BOOK'S PUBLICATION. GOLAN IS CONSIDERING AN APPEAL TO ISRAEL SUPREME COURT.

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2. HAARETZ WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT DAN MARGALIT

REPORTS, IN SAME STORY, THAT NEW YORK TIMES MAY 13
ALSO HAS ARTICLE ON CENSORSHIP OF BOOK, AND QUOTES
EXTENSIVELY FROM NEW YORK TIMES TEXT.

3. CENSORSHIP OF GOLAN BOOK ALSO HAS BEEN GIVEN PROMINENT COVERAGE
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